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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

## Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I choose a competitive provider because it is local, cheaper, no add on gimmicks, calls answered in a timely manner, no long periods of problem solving and you can talk to someone who speaks English that you can understand. My bill is the same every month - no annoying solicitation of their service, affordable at a set rate- this is the only way that I can afford internet services, I value competitive access to broadband service.

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